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A STRING OF BASS. BY FISHERMAN MACFERLEY, Some men are made especially For captivating fish:

And they can catch them any time And any size they wish. They catch them at the Little Falls, And every place they go: No matter if the tide is in, Or on its outward flow.

That I was made for other use Is very plain to me; Leatch a ducking or a cold, But not a fish I see,

I've risen early in the morn, On dark and drizzling days: Have taken rod, and lines, and bait, And tried a thousand ways. With angle worms and fancy flies, And every art and snare: Not e'en forgot my faithful flask-But still no fish were there.

I've even worn my breeches off In scrambling round to get To some good place where fishes lunch, But never found it yet.

So when I hear these frequent tales Of bass so large and long. Some weighing pounds of four or more, I think there's something wrong. SIMON CAMERON'S PARENTS.

Incidents in the Boyhood of the Noted Statesman.

Simon Cameron's father was a tailor at Mactown. In those early days in small settlements there were no tailoring establishments of great windows, gilded signs, and four-in-hand coaches. The village tailor, very much like the village school-master and circuit-riding preacher, "lived ground." Perhaps twice a year as a regular thing, and often on special occasions, he took his kit of pols along and went from house to house, cutting out, and with the assistance of the women of the family making up a season's garments. He was an industrious man, but the family was numerous, the pay small, irregular, and often taken out in farm products most convenient to the customer. Simon Cameron's mother was a woman of great industry and almost phenomenal resource; but neither the efforts of the father nor the industry and close economy of his mother availed to hold the Cameron family together in Maytown on anything like a comfortable basis. It was not that they were poor below many of their neighbors, but it was hard work in those days to shelter, feed, and clothe a family. Favorable reports came down the Susquehanna from Sunbury, and Cameron, sr., determined to make the journey thither and endeavor there to establish himself in business and his family in a comfortable home. It was a long pull from Maytown to Sunbury in those days. The trip was made by beat through an almost unbroken wilderness, stopping by the way to prepare what provisions had been taken along, and to add in the way of fresh supplies whatever so primitive a region might afford. At the end of fourteen days, and after many privations, but full of hope, the family landed at Sunbury. Here Mr. Cameron sought salt. In despair of holding his family together under one roof, Mr. Cameron set out for Union br. Grahl, a well-known physician of Sunbury in to get into great places.

those early days.-Philadelphia Press. The First Mint in California. The San Francisco Examiner, in sketching some of the early days of that city, says: "Hon. David C. Broderick and Fred Kohler, the first chief engineer of the fire department, arrived here in '19, around the Horn. At the time of their ar-

rival coin was very scarce. There was plenty of gold-dust, but as that had to weighed every time it was received in yment for anything it was very inconvenient. the minds of Broderick and Kohler, the latter being an assayer, this lack of coin opened a field for a new enterprise, and they entered into a co partnership to make *coin out of golddust. After melting the dust and pound ing it into bars they cut the bars in various sizes, ranging in value from \$5 to \$50, and stamped the pieces of gold in the firm name of Broderick & Kohler. They carried on their business in a little shanty which they built opposite the plaza on Clay street, above Kearney. This was the first "mint" of San Francisco. The coin turned out of this establishment was always found to be worth just as much as was represented, and in many instances, when the bars were weighed, it was discovered that they contained more gold than the acknowledged value of the coin. Shortly after Broderick & Kohler began coining another mint" was started for the purpose of coining five dollar pieces. The coin turned out of this establishment was in the shape of our present five-dollar pieces, and bore the stamp of Moffat & Co. This money was largely circulated all over the State for a short time, but it was soon discovered that the new coins were from twenty-five to fifty cents short of the proper value, and this fact created a prejudice which stopped the issue of the money.

Storm Signals of Married Life. A marriage has other uses than those of

housands of refined, high-strung, intelligent, appreciative, but lone, desofate souls, for whom it in the shade of a really peaceful household. But patched-up affair-any show of respect or affection and a snarl behind his back. It's just this lack of so many households as dreary as a tomb to visit. It's a bad sign when the wife's friends are hustled out of the husband's presence into another room. It's a bad sign when the husband's visitors are not the wife's visitors, and vice versa. It's a bad sign if matters which interest the wife do not interest the lord of the manor looks down from his lofty elevation and speaks with a speer more or less subdued, of the "trivialites of fashion," and deems it beneath him to assist the wife in choosing a often. Emma is talking of married life as she has som it in the houses of great and little men: in the houses of judges and generals, of lawyers and politicians, among whom also both great and little men are to be found.—Emma in New York Graphic

MARYLAND MATTERS.

The Rockville Academy will hold its annual exhibition July 1. Rev. Dr. Guard, of Baltimore, will dedicate Perry's Corner M. E. Church, Queen Anne's County, next Tuesday. A verdict of manslaughter was ren-

lered in the Thrasher-Platt homicide case at Hagerstown on Friday. The corn worm is ravaging the corn fields in certain sections of Queen Anne County. Some fields have been severely damaged by this

More than thirty self-binding harvesters have been sold in Kent County this spring, and the machine men expect to have a call for fifty be-

fore the harvest comes Julius M. Dashie, jr., the college student who assaulted Jefferson Davis, a fellow-student at the college, and was tried before Justice Gassaway at Annapolis, was fined 5 and costs. The county levy of Anne Arundel County will be the same as last year: Seventy-four

Mr. George Hayward, a farmer near Snow Hill, Md., had his fine residence destroyed by fire, with the furniture and clothing of his famlly, on Tuesday night last, the work of an incendiary. The loss is supposed to be about \$5,000; in-surance \$2,500, in the Cecil Company.

County, a well-known breeder of Cotswold sheep, has sold during the last twelve months thirty-seven head of sheep raised by him, ranging in pulse from \$15 to \$125 each, averaging nearly \$46 each, to parties residing in Maryland, Virginia, the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman, Mrs. S. A. M. Canfield, of the history of such affairs the first spadeful of sod wasturned by a woman wasturned by a teenth commencement at Western Maryland Colege. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. J. T. Ward, president of the college. Rev. J. L. Kilgore will deliver the sermon before the literary societies. The annual oration will be de-

Father Joseph M. Schwartz removed M. Gregory, of Illinois; General Eaton, Commisthe pupils of the preparata of department of Mount St. Clement's College (etc. try in number) from Hehester to their new quarters near Erie, Pa. The new location is considered more healthy, and a large number of the students are from that section of country. The college proper will still continue at Hebester, where it was established in 1872 by the Order of Redemptorists.

mile and a half from Annapolis.

WHAT LINCOLN DID.

An Incident for Gen. Garfield-Does He Emulate the Example of a Statesman?

To the Editor of THE REPUBLICAN:

Since this controversy has been going n as to the powers and dignities which attach and belong to the President and Senators and members of Congress respectively it has occurred to me that perhaps the opinions of ex-Presidents might possibly throw some light upon the much mooted question. Abraham Lincoln has long since passed into immortal renown, and his views on this question, as reflected by his actions, will doubtless receive more respectful consideration instance), and to his opinions will be imputed none of the suspicions which a certain class of 1429 F street, Washington, D. C.: jealous mortals are ever ready to entertain with respect to those men who have rendered their country patriotic service in its hour of dire exremity, and who, unfortunately for themselves, still live. Recently I was glancing through some of the back numbers of Scribner's Magazine, when I noticed an incident concerning Mr. Lincoln, and, as it is just in point, I beg you will insert it.

IT IS FOUND IN "SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE," on page 568 of February number for 1878, and is written by Mr. R. H. Stoddard. He says:
One very snowy night in March, 1864, just after the adjournment of Congress, a messenger came to my lodgings, saying that the President desired me to ome to the White House forthwith, if possible. Ariving at the White House, I found Lincoln somewhat disturbed by the information that the three California Representatives had left Washington a little miffed at the manner in which several important appointments had been filled. The President was tramping ap and down the room, swinging his long irms and talking to the man who had communicated this bit of gossip. "Tell me," he demanded, stopping n his walk as I entered, " are those California men angry because the San Francisco mint and customhouse appointments were agreed on without their consent?" The reply was that that was my under-

BUT THE APPOINTMENTS ARE NOT AGREED ON. Nothing is agreed on. Governor Chase told me but he had agreed on so and so, and I got from him ie impression that the California Congressmen were him that the list of proposed appointments by Secre-tary Chase had been shown to the Representatives, and they had been told that everything was settled. Were they very mad when they went away?

manded the President. "Not very," I replied, with some amusement, "But, aturally, they didn't like the way they were treated." The President asked if it were possible to send dis stelles and call them back, and when told that one f the Representatives had sailed from New York and hat the other two were at different places in New England he said:

Now, what I want you to do is to send dispatches those two men right away and get them back. I on't care much what you say, but get them back." This I agreed to do, and departed. Lincoln ran after ne, and, calling me back, said:

Let me know what replies you get from them, and be sure and keep a memorandum of the cost of the dispatches and I'll pay the bill." It may be added that the representatives returned, that the Treasury Department "slate" was broken, and that Lincoln paid the bill" with the most scrupulous exactness.

Very few persons at this day doubt that old Abe was President, or that his spinal column ever needed stiffening. That he was a great man is not less generally accepted, and the above episode only confirms the belief that a great man, when temporarily or accidentally thrust into a great place, never permits himself to do such things as will raise a suspicion that he is a little man in a big place. At all events, the man who aspires to employment at his trade and spent a year at such be great and dignified to-day need not be afraid work as he could find, but with no satisfying re- that by emulating Mr. Lincoln while he was Pacific, Michigan Central, New Jersey Central, and President the public will not estimate his greatness at its par value. The example of a great County, and the family were scattered, Simon man already made is worth immensely more than finding a comfortable home and a good friend in that a multitude of small men who scheme and plot

PATIENT WAITERS.

The Office-Seekers Left Stranded by the Adjournment.

One of the curious, but by no means incommon, phases of Washington life is the number of men one meets about the hotel corridors and other public places who have some claim upon the present administration for services rendered during the campaign, but have not received their expected reward. Of course in one sense in this class might have been comprised the whole army place-seekers which have infested the city since the 4th of March. But these that now remain comprise those vicarious workers whose services are st known to themselves. Whenever they can get a listener they

GROW ELOQUENT upon the methods they employed to make their county solid. Before they plunged into the fray the Republican outlook was exceedingly gloomy, but, at the expense of their time and the expenditure of their private means, they snatched victory from the jaws of defeat. A great many hail from Southern districts, where they say Republicans were not allowed to vote before; but, at the risk of their lives, they marshaled the Garfield forces, and, if they did not carry the district, they at least | vance lost on futures: trade fair; ungraded red, \$1 15@ brought out that unprecedented thing, a Republican vote. Another will tell you he went out to Indiana or some other close State and made speeches all through the campaign and expended his own money freely. When

perpetuating the race. In this great city there are fresh and trim as when they first struck Washingwould be an earthly paradise to rest ever so little soiled and ragged, but still it is always such peace must be genuine. It must not be any comes out to give point and emphasis to their selfpaid tributes ts their services. They are discourbetween husband and wife before the guest's face | aged, but still hopeful, and intelligence as to changes in the Department is eagerly sought for. harmony between husband and wife that makes | They have become tired of sitting around in the ante-room of the White House, and seldom go there now. But still they have a lively desire to know what the President has said in regard to Wheat—Southern steady and quiet. Western higher future changes. There is one

CRUMB OF COMFORT which they received the other day, and that was May, \$1 284@1284c; June, \$1 284@1 234; July, \$1 234 the husband, and rice versu. It's a bad sign when when the President was reported as saying, "I wish my friends to be patient." They had been | Corn-Southern steady, but inactive; Western casler trying to be patient, they thought, but they were perfectly willing to keep on, and their hopes were considerably raised. So the crowd of political dress pattern. Married partnership must mean workers are waiting, and they have hung on so long partnership in everything, or there's a social desert | that the prospect is very fair that they will be able for one party or the other to travel over pretty | to hold out until the end. This class forms a very curious and interesting portion of our community just at present, and if one wishes to hear a man that is in earnest talk let him fall in with one of these patent waiters. They are not only dead in earnest, but they are thorough believers in themselves, and can shoot off more politics in a quarter of an hour than an average citizen can digest in a

Good Shooting With Military Rifles. The splendid weather of Saturday attracted a large crowd of marksmen to the Benning's rifle range, where the second monthly military rifle tournament of the Columbia Rifle Association was inaugurated. The best score of the day was made by Mr. Cash, who scored 33 out of a possible 35, and he is likely to become the possessor of the gold badge for the best single score. Of the original entries, Mr. Charles H. Laird led with a score of 29, Messrs, Lantz and S. I. Scott, his nearest competitors, tieing on 28. Mr. Cash's score of 33 was made in a re-entry, and Messrs. Laird, Lauritzen, and Ferguson tied at 31. The shooting throughout the entire match was remarkably good, for out of sixty-three entries over half scored twenty-five points and upward. To-day three matches are on the programme: A short-range subscription match, ten shots each, at 200 and 300 yards: a long-range match by active members of cents for county purposes, nineteen cents for the public schools, and two cents for the payment of the public school debt. All the old collectors were match. The marksmen will go out to the range on the club at 800, 900, and 1,000 yards for a gold match. The marksmen will go out to the range on the 10:30 a. m. train, but the 2 and 4:40 p. m. trains will stop for those desirous of witnessing the sport.

Breaking Ground.

Ground was broken Saturday for a cottage home, in connection with the Industrial building committee, performing the acceptable Preparations are making for the four- service. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. B. F. Bittinger, after which Mr. Joseph M. Wilson, of the board of managers, delivered an appropriate address, showing the necessity for the new structure, which, he stated, would be devoted livered by Hon. Henry W. Hoffman. The exertises will commence on Sunday, June 12. Dent, Superintendent J. O. Wilson, Professor John sioner of Education, and others made remarks, and after the doxology the services were concluded,

The New Translation. (Scene in a prayer meeting.)

Old Deacou-Brothren, I don't want any new translation for me. It was the old translation that The Annapolis Railroad Company lately brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to had the land alongside their track cleared of trees and underbrush, but at the solicitation of William H. Butler, a prosperous colored farmer, allowed one tree to stand. It was the one used by the mobile to lynch Simmles a few years ago for outraging a young lady. Butler says his farm has been protected from depredators since that event, as the colored people were afraid to pass it after night. The tree stands directly opposite his farm, about a same old salvation—the same old Heavestand to brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. I want the dear old translation that brought me to Jesus; for that reason it is dear to me. I don't need and don't want any new translation. The tree stands directly opposite his farm, about a same old salvation—the same old Heaves yes, the same old hell; it's all thems!

MONETARY MATTERS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS.

Wall Street Transactions-The Latest Quotations in Stocks and Government and State Bonds-New York and Baltimore Markets.

The following observations on the transactions in the financial market Saturday, together with openthan if he were yet living (as is General Grant, for ling, highest, lowest, and closing quotations, are furnished by the banking-house of H. D. Cooke, jr., & Co.,

Name of stock.	Opening	Highest.	Lowest.	Closin
American District	55%	55%	5514	55%
Norfolk and Western pref	Gis	65	65	65
C. C. & I	97	98	97	97
Canada Southern	.77	7836	77	78%
Chicago, Burlington and Q.	172	172	17154	1715
C. C. & I. C.	28%	29%	28%	29%
Chesapeake and Ohio	29%	30.	29%	30%
Chicago, St. Paul, M. & O	101%	44%	44	444
do, preferred Central Pacific	94	195 ¹ 4 95 ² 4	104%	105%
Chicago, St. Louis & N. O	5452	997	8354	945, 831,
Del., Lackawanna & W	10012	83% 127%	12614	12714
Delaware and Hudson	1111	1111%	110%	11135
Denver and Rio Grande	1073	108	0.00.704	103
	49	491/	48%	493
Erie do. preferred	90	90	895	90
Hannibal and St. Jo	835	84%	835	84%
do, preferred		115	114	115
Houston and Texas	9114	9134	89	90
Illinois Central	143	14414	143	1435%
Iron Mountain	7954	80	79%	80
Lake Shore	132	13254	130%	13214
Louisville and Nashville Lake Erie and Western	106%	105%	1053g	1063 621
Lake Erie and Western	61	6214	60%	62.4
Michigan Central		11374	112	113%
Morris and Essex Missouri Pacific	10634	129	106	10734
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	49%	1073 a 50%	495	5014
Mobile and Ohio	31%	35	34	35
Manhattan Elevated	2734	2854	27%	28
Metropolitan Elevated	925	94	921	9334
New York Elevated New York Central	110%	110%	109%	110
New York Central	140%	1502	149	150%
Northwestern	13957	13114	129%	130%
do. preferred	14212	1435	14232	143%
New Jersey Central	19134	10214	191	10250
Nashville & Chattanooga	90%	91	901 2	5012
Northern Pacific	42%	414	4214	44%
do. preferred	82%	84%	8252	813
Ohio Central	3495	355	3414	353
Ohio and Mississippi Ontario and Western	45	45%	44%	+4%
Pacific Mail	37	37% 54	36% 52%	37
Rock Island	5314	145%		144
Pasting	2011	50%	58%	59%
St. Paul	1961	1263	12554	1263
do preferred	1356	135%	135	135
do.preferred	4736	48	4714	48
do, preferred	74	784	73%	74
Texas Pacific Union Pacific	66	67	65%	66%
Union Pacific	125%	125	124	126
Western Union	127	129	127	129
do. extended	88%	90	85%	90
Wabash, St. L. and Pacific.	53	54	53	53%
do.preferred	93%	94%	9314	94

65 67 125 4 125 127 129 884 90 53 54 934 944 do. extended. Wabash, St. L. and Pacific. do. preferred. The following were the closing quotations for Gov-

ernme	nt bonds:	
	GOVERNMENT BONDS.	
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5	[By Associated Press.]	

NEW YORK, May 28.-Money easy at 214@314 per cent. on call, and closed at 214 per cent. Exchange weak at 482% to 483 for long and 484% to 485 for short sight. Governments generally steady on a moderate volume of business. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds irregular and unsettled.

The stock market opened weak and generally lower, and before noon prices declined 4 to 3 cent., Norfolk and Western preferred, Houston and Texas, Texas Pacific, Michigan Central, New Jersey Central, and St. Paul leading. This was followed by an advance of ½ to 1½ per cent. in the general list and 4 per cent. in Norfolk and Western preferred, and laier by a reaction of ½ to 1 per cent. In the late dealings the speculation assumed a strong tone, and the market closed at an improvement of ½ to 2½ per cent. in the general list from the lowest point of the day, while Norfolk and Western preferred rose 5½ per cent. from the lowest figures of the morning. Western Union, Michigan Central, Lake Shore, New Jersey Central, Union, Central, and Texas Pacific, and Louisville and Nashville were conspicuous in the late advance.

STATE BONDS.

, 110 | N. Carolina funding., 13 Georgia 6's. do. 7s, mort... do. 7s, gold ... †Ex matured coupons. SUB-TREASURY BALANCES. ... \$70,890,117 00 | Currency....... \$5,563,897 00

Baltimore Stock Board. Baltimore, May 28,-Virginia sixes-deferred, 18; do consolidated, 85; do second series, 42; past due cou-pons, 96; new ten-forties, 55½ bid to-lay.

PRODUCE MARKETS. New York General Market. NEW YORK, May 28 .- Cotton quiet and firm; sales to-day, 587 bales; uplands, 10%c; Orleans, 11%c; cor solidated net receipts, 5.482 bales; exports-Great Brit ain, 9,308 bales; the Continent, 7,712 bales. Flour-Southern fairly active and firm; common to fair extra, \$5 20@5 65; good to choice do, \$5 70@7 50. Wheat opened 14@15c better on futures; a shade stronger ou

cash; closed in buyers' favor, for each, and part of ad-131. Corn-cash and Maydull, heavy, and lower; late months a shade stronger; ungraded, 51@30c. Outs opened %@%c lower; closed firmer; No. 3, 44@41%c. Hops firm and quiet; yearlings, 12@18c. Coffee—Rio in fair demand and strong; in cargoes, 9@12c; job lots, 9@13c; Maracaibo active and firmer at 10:013%c. Sugar his own money freely. When

THE SENATE ADJOURNED,
and these faithful workers found that their names had not been sent in, they felt very much down in the mouth; but still they have hopes that the bestowal of places is not yet over. They have set down to a patient siege, and have put themselves on half rations. They are not quite so fresh and trim as when they first struck Washington, and show a tendency toward dirty linen. Their package of papers and letters is getting soiled and ragged, but still it is always ready in that inside coat pocket, and comes out to give point and emphasis to their self-paid tributes ts their services. They are discour-

Baltimore General Market. BALTIMORE, May 28.-Cotton steady; middling, 11c. Flour quiet and firm; Howard street and Western super, \$3 50@4 00; do extra, \$4 25@5 00; do family, \$5 25 and firm; Southern red, \$1 2466128; do amber, \$1 306 1 33; No. 2 Western winter red, spot, \$1 26\\@1 26\; @1 23%; August, \$1 20% bid; September, \$1 20%@1 20%. Corn—Southern steady, but inactive; Western caster for spot, and options steady; Southern white, 69c; do yellow, 59c; Western mixed, spot and May, 58-38-3c; June, 56-36-3c; July, 56-36-3c; August, 56-36-3c; Coats steady and quiet; Western white, 48-6-3c; do mixed, 47-6-48c. Ryc quiet at \$1 10-21 12. Hay quiet; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, \$21 00-6, 25-00. Provisions firm; mess pork—old, \$17-50; new, \$18-90; bulk meats—loose shoulders and clear rib sides nominal; no stock; do packed, 63-36-3c; bacon—shoulders, 7-3c; clear rib sides, 10-3c; hans, 11-36-12c; lard, 12-3c. Butter casier; fresh grass, 11-36-12c; Western packed, 10-36-13c. Periodeum nominal; refined held at 8c. Coffee steady; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 9-36-15c. Sugar firm; A soft, 10-36-10-3c. Whisty quiet at \$1.02. Freights to Liverpool per steamer unchanged. Receipts—flour, 1.875 barrels; wheat, 150-230 busbels; corn, 18,625 bushels; oats, 855 bushels; rye, 8 0 bushels. Shipments—wheat, 22,000 bushels; corn, 4,000 bushels. Saies—wheat, 7-50,7-66 bushels; corn, 33,734 bushels.

The New Version.

To the Editor of THE REPUBLICAN: I have been examining the specimens of "The New Version" of the Scriptures published in THE REPUBLICAN and other papers, and I must confess that the examination has not impressed me favorably to the new as compared with the old. I think it is easily demonstrable that in nearly every case of departure from the old reading there has been a change for the worse. The truth is, that King James' version almost approaches perfection in the use of terse old Saxon words, and as a specimen of pure English it cannot be excelled. It is, therefore, idle to expect any change for the better in these days, when words are used "to conceal thought" and not to express them. In the preparation of the old version every word was weighed and considered with a patient thoroughness that this hurrying age will not permit, and the result was that for hundreds of years that version has been accepted by the church and by the best oriental scholars as being as near perfect as it possibly can be. One test of this perfection-and it is an almost conclusive one-is found in the fact that every new discovery made in the country of Judea by modern lers in regard to the manners and customs of that changeless people corroborates fully every statement in the old version in regard to such mat-Mr. Edward C. Legg, of Queen Anne's Home School, of Georgetown, and the occasion was its place in the hearts and affections of all lovers of revealed truth and that after the first rush to satisfy a morbid curiosity the whole thing will fall flat on the market. VOX POPULI. DISTRICT COURTS.

CRIMINAL COURT-JUSTICE COX.-William Lewis, Sunday bar; pleaded guilty; fined \$20 and costs. Laura Parker, unlicensed bar; not guilty. Joseph Sunday bar; guilty; sentence suspended Biggins, unlicensed bar; recognizance for Thomas Biggins, unlicensed bar; re feited. Adjourned till this morning.

REAL ESTATE.

The Official Transfers of Saturday as Recorded. Mr. J. F. Olmstead presents the following transac tions in real estate in the District Saturday, as reported to him by the Recorder of Deeds: CITY PROPERTY.

On Massachusetts avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets west; sublots 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72 (200 feet by depth), square 157; John F. Olmstead to George Baty Blake, \$4,380.50 cash.
On Dupont Circle, corner of New Hampshire avenue; sublot 48 (22.05 feet by depth), square 115; John B. Alley to Alice A. Gifson, \$6,647.73.
On Sixteenth street west, near R street north, sublot 44 (21 by 110 feet), square 179; Dianthia K. Stevens to Charles Lowell, \$4,000.
On Massachusetts avenue, near Fifteenth street Charles Lowell, \$4,000.
On Massachusetts avenue, near Fifteenth street west, part sublot il (*2 feet by depth), square 213;
Ashbel W. Riley, jr., to Andrew Dunlop, jr., \$2,402.84.
On F street north near Thirteenth street west; part of jy29-iy*

lots 11 and 10 (32 feet 8 inches by depth), square 230; Lucy J. Stitgraves to Matthew W. Galt. §13,000. On Pierce street, between First and Second Streets west; part of lot 31 (east 15 feet by depth), square 557; Austin Robinson to Mary and Catherine Robinson, proprints.

Ausin Robinson to Mary and Catherine Robinson, nominal.

On Tenth street west, near F street north, lot 13 and north 25 feet of lot 14 (75 feet by depth), square 347; Enoch Totten, trustee, to the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, \$12,850.

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On H street north, between North Capitol and First streets west; subiol 13 (18 by 70 feet), square 623; Regina Wagner et al. to John Ardeeser, \$2,450.

On B street north, between First and Second streets east; west half of lot 4 (23 feet 9 inches by 225 feet 9 inches), square 725; James O'Neill to William C. Dodge, \$1.500.

On Seventh street east, between South Carolina

Dodge, \$1,500.

On Seventh street east, between South Carolina avenue and E street south; lot 13 (60 by 100 feet), square \$76; Mary A. L. Brown, executrix, to George Brown, nominal.

On Ninth street east, between E and G streets south; lot 20 and the north 11 feet 7½ inches of lot 21 (52 feet 10 inches by 100 feet 1 inch), square \$26; Mary A. L. Brown, executrix, to George Brown, nominal.

On K street north, corner of Connecticut avenue; sublot 1 (51 feet 5 inches by depth), square 163; William Bagmam to Lambert Tree, \$15,000.

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DIED. BARTON.—On the 29th instant, after a lingering illness, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Annie V. Keeler, in Mount Holly. New Jersey. Mark War-Kinson Barton, son of Ruth R. and the late Albert Barton, in the thirtieth year of his age.

Functal on Wednesday afternoon at Mount Holly. MANGUM.—In the tenth year of her age, at 4:10 a. m., Saturday, May 28, Claha Estella Mangum, after fourteen days of great suffering.

Her funeral will take place from the North Capitol Street M. E. Church, on Monday, the 30th instant, at 4 o'clock n. m. 40'clock p. m.
"Suffer little children to come unto Me, and forbid
them not: for of such is the kingdom of Heaven." * MICKLE.—On Saturday, May 23, 1881, at 1:20 o'clock p. m., Sarah Ann, beloved wife of Wm. H. Mickle, gr., aged fifty-six years, after a short but painful fliness.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 1414 Sixth street northwest, Tuesday, May 31, at three o'clock ***

PFAFF -In the fortieth year of her age, at two o'clock p. m., Sunday, May 23, 1881, Manganur, the beloved wife of Frederick W. Pfaff, after a long illness of consumption.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 569 S street northwest, on Tuesday, May 31, at three o'clock p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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[Philadelphia papers please copy.]

SINGLETON.—On May 29, 1881, Anna, infant daughter of Thomas D. and Julia B. Singleton, aged one year three months and seventeen days.

Funeral will take place to-day (Monday, May 30), at 230 p. m., from the residence, 1127 Twelfth street northwest.

A rosebud, too fair to bloom on earth, God has tallen to that beautiful city above.

WARD.—On Saturday, May 28, at 6:10 p. m., after a short and painful illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, Mary Frances, beloved wife of Robert F. Ward and oldest daughter of the late Anthony Bowen, aged fifty-two years.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 43 Ninth street southwest, Tuesday, May 31, at eleven o'clock a. m. Her remains will be restet in St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, Eighth street, between D and E streets southwest. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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